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HINGE APPARATUS WITH TWO-WAY CONTROLLABLE SHAPE

MEMORY ALLOY (SMA) HINGE PIN ACTUATOR AND METHODS

OF MAKING TWO-WAY SMA PARTS

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed <u>June 30, 2005</u>, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.